

**Sept. 8, 2011 - 17:00 - 19:00 - Asia-Pacific Weeks (APW) 2011 of the Senate of the City of Berlin  
German-Japanese Charite-Symposium: THE AGING SOCIETY (2hr)**

**Organizer Prof. Erich Knop**

The aging society represent a challenge of growing importance for the health systems of developed countries, in Germany as well as in Asia and World-wide.

Following an overview of global developments in Medicine on the occasion of the upcoming World Health Summit in Berlin and the M8 process, the historical relationships between the medical systems of Germany and Japan are considered, that were an important foundation of the introduction of scientific medicine in Asia.

Later, recent German-Japanese research topics and projects for medical research, therapy and prevention are presented and discussed.

**Target group:** Doctors, Scientists, and Public Health Care Specialist  
General Public



Time	Duration (Min.)	Function	Title	Name, last	Name, first	Degree	Organisation	Country
17:00	5min	Moderation	<b>Age Medicine - Medical Challenges for the Aging Society</b>	<b>Knop</b>	Erich	Prof..	Charite / Juntendo Univ.	DE, JP
17:10	5min		<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Grüters-Kieslich</b>	Annette	Prof.	Dean, Charite	DE
17:15	5min		<b>Welcome</b>	<b>Shinyo</b>	Takahiro	Dr.	Ambassador of Japan in Germany	Japan
	5min		Diskussion + Moderation					
17:25	10min		<b>Historical Medical Relationship between Germany and Japan - Influence on Concepts of Hygiene and Health</b>	<b>Wonde</b>	Beate	Dipl. Japanol.	Humboldt Universität, Berlin, Cent. for Asia and Africa Studies	DE
17:35	15min		<b>Medicine and Nutrition in Mega-Disasters - Recent Challenges for Japanese Medicine</b>	<b>Kominami</b>	Eiki	Prof.	President, Juntendo University Tokyo	Japan
	5min		Diskussion + Moderation					
17:55	10min		<b>Age-Related Losses in Cognition: Risks, Moderators, and Prevention</b>	<b>Rapp</b>	Michael	PD Dr. Dr.	Clinic for Psychiatry, Charite	DE
18:05	10min		<b>Insight into the Neurobiology of Degenerative Diseases</b>	<b>Bräuer</b>	Anja	Prof.	Center for Anatomy, Charite	DE
	5min		Diskussion + Moderation					
18:20	15min		<b>Gut Environments in the Regulation of Intestinal Immunity for Healthy Aging</b>	<b>Kunisawa</b>	Jun	Prof.	Institute of Medical Science, University of Tokyo	Japan
18:35	10min		<b>Aging of the Immune System – Challenges and Solutions</b>	<b>Thiel</b>	HD	Prof.	Berlin Brandenb. Center for Regenerative Therapies (BCRT), Charite	DE
	5min		Diskussion + Moderation					
18:50	10min		<b>Medical Entrepreneurship and Venture Philanthropy</b>	<b>Gutzeit</b>	Stefan	Dr.	Charite Foundation, Charite	DE
19:00	5min	Moderation	<b>Summary on Age Medicine - Medical Challenges for the Aging Society</b>	<b>Knop</b>	Erich	Prof.	Charite / Juntendo Univ.	DE, JP